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REVIEW EXCLUSIVE

Major changes at waste commission

by Shawne Mohl

Despite being tight lipped about the exact details, the Mountain View Region Waste Management Commission, who are responsible for the handling of garbage pick-up in the Town of Didsbury, are undergoing major changes to their operations.

Dave Derksen, chairman of the commission, says that due to legality reasons he cannot release many details, but assures residents that their garbage pick-up will remain to be the highest priority to the commission.

"The Mountain View Regional Waste Management Commission is undergoing major changes in its operation," Derksen said. "The member municipalities of the commission (including Didsbury)... are supporting the commission in their efforts to insure that waste removal services to the residents of this region will be provided in an excellent fashion."

The Town of Didsbury's representative on the commission, Clem Kuelker, declined comment, referring all media questions to the chairman.

The waste commission was officially formed in 1999, but it wasn't until 2001 when all of the member communities came on board.

Membering municipalities, like Didsbury, are currently paying \$7 per capita to be a member of the commission.

Derksen says that in the coming weeks more information may be released to the public.



photo by Shawne Mohl

Grade twelve student, Adam Dingman, was named Didsbury High School's "Top Male Athlete" at last week's awards ceremonies. Above, Dingman accepts his award from DHS Principal, Steve Thompson. See more coverage on page 13.

Website costs astound County Councillors

by Tanya Cripps

The hidden costs of constructing a new and improved website for Mountain View County has astounded County councillors.

"I was a little taken back when the numbers came back at \$30,000," said County Commissioner Harold Johnsrude.

This year Council has budgeted \$45,000 to step up communication with rate payers, the local media, and other stake holders.

"Our main concern is communications and marketing," said Johnsrude on the role of the website.

Originally Council was quoted \$15,000 for the development of the website from Westar Communication Strategies Limited, the company hired to revamp the County's communication plan.

Last Wednesday councillors learned that there will be an additional cost of approximately

\$30,000 for backend programming. Lynn Haley, with Westar Communication, said this is still an estimate and they will be continuing to get quotes from other companies.

"It depends on how far the County wants to go with it," said Haley.

This backend programming includes the development of software and other technical requirements.

"We need to decide what we want to get," said Reeve Ian Harvie who questioned why the \$30,000 expense was not brought forward earlier.

Johnsrude pointed out that in the first presentation to Council it was mentioned that the backend programming costs were purposely not included, because it was difficult to estimate a cost.

"I totally agree it is an

item not included in the budget," he said.

One of the features of the proposed website is the eCommerce capabilities it will have for future use.

Residents will be able to pay bills, request building permits, and get all of the information they need.

"That is one of the most useful aspects," said Councillor Ron Richardson, adding they need to find out if there will be more costs to implement the eCommerce in the future.

Haley said that sites that offer eCommerce capabilities run from \$25,000 to \$100,000 depending on how complex the software is. "This is really on the low end."

councillors agreed that the current website is not up to par.

"The site right now is no where near competitive," said

"With the website we have I think the value extends much beyond our borders."

- Ben Penner
County Councillor,
Division 1

Haley, adding the new site will have over 200 pages.

"With the website we have it is an exercise to get where you want to go (finding links)," said Councillor Ben Penner, admitting the ability to pay bills online is an asset.

"I think the value extends much beyond our borders."

It is recommended that funds come from the Tax Rate Stabilization Reserve since it is a one time cost.



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Chinook's Edge budget receives final approval

by Shaune Mohl

Chinook's Edge School Division (CESD) is able to balance their budget for next school year, 2003-2004, but the process isn't sustainable and the Provincial government needs to come up with a more predictable funding system for school divisions, CESD says.

CESD board passed a balanced \$82.5 million budget last Wednesday, June 25. In order to balance this budget they asked schools to cut back their spending by 1.5 per cent, as well as they were forced to dip into reserves for the third consecutive year to ensure the level of service remained at a level that they felt comfortable with.

CESD is expecting to spend \$82.5 million in 2003/2004 and based on a predicted enrolment of 10,927 students, CESD expects to receive \$79.6 million revenues, forcing Chinook's Edge \$2.9 million into the red. In order to balance this deficit CESD will use \$2 million worth of reserve dollars, and the additional \$900,000 will come from savings through school cutbacks.

As of August 31, 2003 CESD will be just under \$4.5 million in reserves, which will decline to \$2,507,618 by next year after funds are pulled out to balance the 2003/2004 budget.

With only \$2.5 million left in the bank, this alarms CESD trustees. "We have been told by the Province that we should have at least four per cent in reserves," said board chair, Roy Brassard, adding that the \$2.2 million that will be left will only represent about 3.1 per cent.

Susan Roy, CESD Treasurer, says that this was probably one of the toughest budgets that she has ever had to

work on at Chinook's Edge, and says that the funding from the Province falls short of what the expenses are for the division. "It was definitely a challenging budget," Roy said. "Costs have risen over the years, yet revenues have remained at the same level."

Roy says that aside from a lack of funding there are a number of other challenges.

"It was quite a challenge trying to estimate how much utility costs were going to be, or how much salary costs were going to be (because the teaching contracts expire this August 31)," Roy said.

CESD is estimating that the division will spend close to \$2 million just on utilities, which doesn't mix well if the teachers' settlement comes back even higher than last years figures.

In an effort to help alleviate some of the pressures with sky high utilities the Province has committed \$30 million to school boards throughout the Province to help offset the utility costs for this (2002/2003) school year.

Of that \$30 million, Chinook's Edge is predicting they will receive between \$50 to \$60 per student, which to-

tals approximately \$500,000 for CESD.

This means for next year's budget that CESD will not be carrying forward a deficit in the operations and maintenance budget, which was predicted, which will allow the division to forward the funds back into the general operations budget.

Roy Brassard, CESD Board Chair, says that every school board wishes for more money, but says that they were grateful that they even received \$500,000.

"When you have a budget that is as tight as this one every little bit (of money) helps," Brassard said.

According to Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills MLA Richard Marz the Province came through for the school divisions in their time of need, after constantly listening to their challenges.

"This wasn't in the original budget, but we found it necessary to do something," Marz said.

Marz says that the Province has struck a committee which will be reviewing the costs of the soaring utilities in the Province, which will hopefully come back with some sort of recommendation to assist organiza-

tions like school boards.

"We may have to look at a review or changing the way that we handle the rebate process," Marz said.

For the 2003/2004 school year there will be an overall reduction in the number of teaching staff. CESD is anticipating starting the year with 16 fewer full time teachers. Due to an early retirement package offered to some staff, 18 of which were approved, and also due to movement in the division, Chinook's Edge has not planned on making any permanent staff layoffs.

CESD is also predicting that there will be a cutback in the number of support staff.

"Our division is quite large so to have 16 fewer teaching positions when we have 39 schools, there should be a very minimal impact on the quality of education in Chinook's

Edge," Brassard said.

Aside from fewer teachers expected for September, there will also be fewer students which means less funding (as CESD is paid on a per-student basis).

CESD projects that they will have 10,927 students for the 2003-2004 school year, a 2.2 per cent decline from the current school year.

Roy says that there may be even more students, but CESD would rather be conservative in their estimates so that they do not run short in their budgeting process. The budget has now been sent to Alberta Learning for final approval.

Some good news for parents and students is that school fees will remain untouched, and will be charged out at the same amount of last year, despite the financial strains that CESD is experiencing.



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Employee awarded for hard work

photo by Dale McRae

Adam Dingman, employee of A.G. Foods in Didsbury, as well as a grade twelve student at DHS, was recently awarded a \$250 bursary to put towards post secondary studies. The requirements of the bursary were: Have high marks, be an employee of A.G. Foods for at least one year, and have some sort of community involvement. Presenting Dingman with his bursary is A.G. Foods Store Manager, Greg Poirier. The award is made possible through Buy Low Foods, the corporate owner of Didsbury A.G. Foods.

Puppy killing is a cry for help

by Carla Victor

A Sundre mother says she will not dwell on the death of their family dog but rather rally her community to support this little boy's healing process.

Shelley Kohut, mother of Kelly, a 14-year-old boy, said her family refuses to dwell on the tragic events that made national news last week when her son's puppy, a shih-tzu named Max, was killed by a six-year-old boy.

"As far as I'm concerned the story isn't about that anymore, it's about our family healing and about how the community can rally around the caregivers of this boy to make sure he heals too," said Shelley.

Shelley said she is willing to fund-raise to make sure the best help can be found for this boy.

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"I think when we help like

whole com- gets the ily gets sup- tions," said

"I think care of very ple who are they can for him and as a community we should be doing everything to support that effort.

"We need to make sure this little guy has a normal childhood and learns to be a normal child with normal responses."

RCMP Sgt. Jay Arsenault said the Sundre detachment learned of the puppy killing when a complaint was made by a family member of Kelly Kohut.

Arsenault said the puppy killing is a criminal code offense but because the boy is under 14-years-of-age the RCMP cannot follow the incident up with any charges.

Arsenault said RCMP are continuing to investigate this by interviewing witnesses and Central Alberta Child and Family Services Authority are involved.

"We will make sure everything that can be done will be done," said Lorelei Siset-Cassidy, spokesperson for Central Alberta Child and Family Services Authority. Although the boy and his caregivers have a long row to hoe to begin his healing, the Kohuts began today with a new puppy, donated by a young couple from Calgary (who did not want to be named) who read of the tragedy.

Shelley said she and her family were overwhelmed by the showing of support they received from their community.

"If one lesson was to be learned from this event it is that Kelly learned not everyone is bad, and there are people out there who will go out of their way for you, even if they don't know you. He was really touched by that."

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-Shelley Kohut
Mother

Didsburians continue to lobby health minister

by Shaune Mohl

Didsbury residents tend to head south for their health care needs, and have more in common with Calgary - not Red Deer - is the message that a number of residents and local politicians are trying to get across to Health Minister, Gary Mar.

Mar was in Didsbury approximately two weeks ago and met with representatives from Didsbury as well as other municipalities in the area, to try to gather more information to try to figure out which health region the Didsbury hospital should be placed within.

One of the area representa-

tives was Mountain View County's Reeve, Ian Harvie, who agrees that Didsbury's hospital should be placed within the Calgary health region.

Harvie explained that Mountain View County's council passed a resolution stating that they would support the move for the Didsbury hospital to be placed into the Calgary Health Region.

"Our position was to support Didsbury for the move," Harvie said.

Harvie says that the reason his council felt they should support the move into Calgary region is because nearly 35 per cent of the patients who attend the Didsbury hospital are actually from outside of the

David Thompson Health Region, which the Didsbury hospital is currently placed.

Local Didsbury resident, Roy Brassard, who is a past Tory MLA, has been one of the leaders behind lobbying the Minister, although Brassard says he wants to be cautious to ensure that this is the right direction.

"The Minister walked away from that meeting and said that he plans to set up a meeting with the Calgary health region board," Brassard said. "We want to make sure that we make the best decision for Didsbury, and we don't end up regretting the direction that we head."

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Mountain View County upset with Province over bridge funding

Province cuts bridge funding, causing broken promises and hard feelings with MVC

by Carla Victor

Another delay and lack of communication with Alberta Transportation has Mountain View County Councillors frustrated with the cost sharing process of building bridges.

Council was informed by Alberta Transportation that out of the seven projects they

thought would begin this year, only three will get the go ahead because of costs higher than projected.

Ritch Sudeyko, public works superintendent for the county, said approximately seven bridges were approved for construction with three more approved for designs. Now three approved projects have delays because of design approval and getting application approvals from federal waterway and fishery departments. He said it is all somewhat confusing to everyone at the county.

"Apparently once a project exceeds costs of \$200,000 it becomes a different funding project and we have to compete with the whole province

"This county made a very strong commitment to these projects and now, nothing."

- Ian Harvie

Reeve

MVC

for funding rather than just our region," explained Sudeyko.

A normal process is for the province to estimate costs of a project, give it approval, and let the county begin their

preparations.

Sudeyko said some of the projects the province estimated to be \$150,000 the county is estimating to be more than \$300,000. He said every spring the province sends a letter stating which projects will get the go ahead and the county sets aside their portion of the cost to begin the work.

With the delay, the county has set aside more than \$400,000 which could have gone to other projects.

"This county made a very strong commitment to these projects and now, nothing," said Reeve Ian Harvie at the regular meeting in June.

Assistant County Commissioner Tony Martens said

this news is very frustrating.

"They told us that bridge (over the Lone Pine Creek, just east of Didsbury), forget it. They gave us no target, nothing to shoot for," said Martens, adding the province said they have "re-assessed things."

"We have the second largest number of bridge crossings in the province, we cannot conduct business like this," said Harvie.

Sudeyko who will report back in July is in the process of re-negotiating these projects with the province.

"We are very concerned with some of the hoops we have to jump through to meet provincial and federal criteria."

OPINIONS EDITORIAL

DARE program beneficial for students



Shawne Mohl

One of my story assignments which I had to cover this week included attending Westglen middle school's DARE graduation, a program which I found to be very beneficial for the students, and I applaud both the school and the RCMP for offering this type of program.

While listening to a number of students go through their essays which they were required to write, which explained what they got out of DARE, it was clear the students were receiving a very positive lesson.

It also brought me back to my high school days, and remembering all of the peer pressure that I, and my classmates, were faced with on a daily basis.

It started in grades as young as grade four, where the students who thought they were "cool" would come up to my group of friends and ask us if we wanted to buy a cigarette off of them for a quarter. I always refused, but many of my friends took to "cool kids" idea and started puffing, which made them sick as a dog, but for some reason grew their ego.

As the years progressed the more harmful drugs started appearing on my school grounds, which I can proudly say I always stayed away from, although I cannot say the same for all my peers in my class.

I was fortunate enough to have had the right group of friends, supportive parents, and a clear head on my shoulders to always turn down drugs and cigarettes, although I cannot say the same for a number of my past classmates who chose the wrong direction.

If the DARE program would have been around while I was in middle school, I feel that many of my past friends would have chosen a different direction and possibly been more successful with their lives. A big congratulations goes out to all of the students who graduated from the DARE program last week.

As well, a pat on the back must be given to the teachers, parents, and RCMP officers who have helped make this program so successful in Didsbury. Your hard work, patience, and time will help many, many students chose to head in the right direction rather than a life of drugs and alcohol.

♥ Ponderings of the heart ♥

"Thinking thanks"

by Margaret Fradley

As I was pondering, I began to wonder what others' days and our own day would be like if we all remembered to give thanks throughout the day, if we remembered to thank our spouse or our children for things they contributed to our day; if we recalled to thank that bank teller who patiently waited on us, the store clerk who went the extra mile to take us to some item we were looking for. What about the doctor on whom we have come to depend on so much; in some cases our employees or employers, just simply to let them know we care, that we noticed and that we appreciated what they did. It seems to me we can make such a difference in the very little things.

We all need to be appreciated, and although we do not do things in order to receive thanks, it is always most encouraging just to hear those words "thank you" - sometimes it seems as though they were hard words to say, we struggle to bring them out.

Each day we have such great opportunities to show our appreciation - just to say "thank you" to those we encounter throughout our day. Giving thanks, thinking thanks and saying 'thanks' can make such a difference, it can even become a habit with us (a good habit, I might add). Let's make our day special, for all of you that I have at times taken for granted and not shown my appreciation, I say now, "thank you, and the Lord bless you."

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Fleecing taxpayers again

by Myron Thompson

I as your Member of Parliament for Wild Rose and the Canadian Alliance are opposed to Bill C-24, an Act to amend the Canada Elections Act and the Income Tax Act (political financing) from the time of introduction until the Liberals moved a Time Allocation to force it through the House of Commons.

Bill C-24 introduces a system of quarterly allowances from the public Treasury for qualified registered parties based on the percentage of the vote received during the most recent election.

What this means, is that annually the Liberals will receive approximately \$8 million, the Canadian Alli-

ance \$5 million, \$2 million for the Bloc, \$1.7 million for the NDP and \$2.3 million for the PC. Political donations by corporations and unions to any specific riding association, candidate, nomination contestant or national party will be limited to \$1000 annually, and by individuals to \$10,000 annually.

The Canadian Alliance was the only Party opposed to this Bill, a position taken because we believe that political parties should raise the money they need from the people they claim to represent.

We are opposed to the principle of public funding for political parties. The Liberals, Bloc, NDP and PC's meanwhile can hardly wait to get their hands into your pockets.

Nevertheless, the Canadian

Alliance would not refuse to accept our share of the public funding under provisions of C-24 because we neither make or control the rules.

Our ability to represent our supporters could be seriously compromised if we were to put ourselves at a financial disadvantage when compared to our political opponents.

The Liberals have agreed to study the effects of the Bill after the next election. This means that we will be able to continue to work for changes and for the elimination of public funding for political parties.

Myron Thompson is a Member of Parliament for Wild Rose, the constituency in which Didsbury resides.

Letters are welcome

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FROM THE MAILBAG

Beef ban hurting Canadian Producers

Dear editor:

Over a month has passed since the American border and the markets of our trading partners have been closed to Canadian beef and cattle exports. The overall magnitude of this crisis can no longer be downplayed by the Prime Minister. Producers, truckers, retailers and, indeed all Canadians have felt the impact of this mounting disaster. The cost of the trade ban in the one-month period since a single Canadian cow was diagnosed with Bovine Spongiform Encephalopathy (BSE) is estimated to be \$550 million. If the beef ban does not begin to be lifted until mid-September, a

"four month ban is estimated to cost Canada \$2.5 billion," according to BSE Economic Impact Assessment, recently released by the Canadian Animal Health Coalition.

These estimates do not include the cost of any loss of trade after the ban on Canadian beef and cattle has been lifted or the additional marketing costs that will be needed to revive our export markets.

A four month ban that costs Canada \$2.5 billion was considered "a worst-case scenario" when the BSE Economic Impact Assessment was released on June 20th. However, Agriculture Minister Lyle Vanclief

admitted to reporters on June 24th that the U.S. government has no timeline for re-opening the border. The prospect of Canadian beef producers losing a billion-dollars or more this summer cannot be ignored.

Just how much more damage the current BSE crisis will do to the Canadian beef industry depends on the U.S. government and our other major trading partners. Minister Vanclief admitted as much during his press conference on June 20th when he said that Canadian beef remains banned for political reasons, not scientific ones.

This brings us back to the Prime Minister Jean Chrétien

and Deputy Prime Minister John Manley who should be down in Washington, persuading President Bush to open the border to imports of Canadian beef and cattle. This should be their single highest priority.

Premier Ralph Klein's meeting with U.S. Vice-President Dick Cheney was a welcome first sign of high level, bilateral talks on getting the border open as soon as possible. It is unlikely that Mr. Chrétien will be invited to the White House to discuss the beef ban or the plight of the Canadian cattle producer at this critical time.

Sharp criticism of the Bush administration and the Ameri-

can people by the Prime Minister, his staff and Liberal MPs is now costing Canadians billions of dollars.

So while our western cattlemen and beef producers should be getting front-and-centre attention and assistance from their federal government, they instead find themselves to be the victims of collateral damage caused by Liberal arrogance, overt and childish anti-Americanism, and indifference to the West. It is high time for a change of government.

Sincerely, Gerry Ritz
Senior Ag. Critic,
Canadian Alliance
Party

Dog Days of Summer... Protect Your Pets

Summer is here and with it comes sunny, hot days. As much as we love the sun, we have to remember that for our pets it can be lethal.

It's unfortunate, but every year many pets die of heat exhaustion.

Veterinary surgeon and owner of the Richmond Animal Hospital, Dr. Michael Schaufele has treated too many of these cases.

"Every year we see needless deaths as a result of heat exhaustion."

If it's hot out, keep an eye on your dog or cat and keep in mind the warning signs of heat exhaustion.

Exaggerated panting, Salivation, Anxious or staring expression, Weakness, Lack of coordination, Vomiting, Collapse, Convulsions, Coma.

If your pet displays any of these signs, it is very important that you cool it down right away. Some effective methods are moving your pet into the shade, spraying it with the garden hose, offering cool water to drink and fanning your pet. Do NOT apply ice as it constricts blood flow, which will inhibit cooling. Once your pet has cooled down go directly to your local veterinary clinic for further treatment.

Although heat exhaustion is more common in dogs, cats have been known to suffer as well. "A few minutes in a parked car could mean death for your pet," Schaufele adds, "If it is unavoidable and you must leave your dog or cat in a vehicle for a couple of minutes ensure they have plenty

of water, that there is a breeze blowing through the vehicle, and that you have parked in a shaded area. Please remember your vehicle will heat up significantly in a very short time."

Enjoy these beautiful summer days, but please remember that your pet can suffer heat exhaustion very easily. On those really hot days, take your dog to the beach or spray it with the garden hose. Keep your cat indoors on those record setting days and do not leave your pet in a parked vehicle. Planning ahead will help keep your pet healthy.

Submitted by Dr. Michael Schaufele a veterinary surgeon and owner of the Richmond Animal Hospital in hopes that more animals lives can be saved this summer.

Misuse of taxpayers money again

Dear editor:

I'd like to know if the PMO paid for the hammers, the shipping, and the staff time to execute Eddie Goldenberg's grade-school coup de grace on Liberal Party President Stephen LeDrew. Surely the public would find this an inappropriate use of the public purse, no matter how relatively trivial the cost is: mere hundreds of dollars wasted instead of hundreds of millions of dollars?

After all, what's so different about this apparent misuse of public funds than George Radwanski wining and dining his staff over a \$400 lunch? And look where Mr. Radwanski is now.

Sincerely,
Michael Watkins

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The Didsbury Museum is open every Saturday afternoon and is located at 2120-21 Ave.

NOTICE

To parents of all members of the Didsbury Gymnastics Club

Due to major renovations at the Ross Ford Elementary School, the Didsbury Gymnastics club will be unable to use Ross Ford Gym for the 2003-2004 sessions. Therefore, the club is looking for a suitable, temporary location to continue for the year. Please plan to attend an important meeting at the Didsbury Municipal Library, Thursday, July 3 at 7:00pm, to discuss the options open to us.



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NOTICE

Street sweeping will be taking place on Friday, July 4, 2003. Areas will include: 19 Street north to 20 Avenue and 10 Street south to 11 Avenue west to cemetery. Please remember to have streets clear of vehicles by 7:30am.

NEW DEVELOPMENT PERMIT APPLICATIONS

The following Development Permits have been issued for the following proposed developments:

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•DP 33-03	1301-24 Street	Deck with condition	R2
•DP 34-03	1505-14 Street	Addition	R2
•DP 35-03	#2 CO-OP Road	Addition with condition	I1
•DP 36-03	1277-23 Avenue	Duplex	R2
•DP 37-03	1279-23 Avenue	Duplex	R2
•DP 38-03	702-23 Street	Garage	R2
•DP 39-03	1510-25 Street	SFD	R1
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Further information may be obtained at the Town Office, 2037 - 19Ave. or by calling 335-3391. Persons wishing to appeal any of these decisions must do so in writing, with the appropriate fees, to the secretary, Development Appeal Board, prior to 4:30 p.m. on July 16, 2003 Robert Wigg - Development Officer.

HEALTH REGION

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Didsbury's Mayor, Dorothy Moore has stepped off her soap box and says she has started working at forming a healthy relationship with the David Thompson Health Region.

"I still feel that (Calgary) is the best option, but this is the reality and we need a good, strong working relationship with our current health region," Moore said. "We want to keep the doors open and this is my goal."

Moore says that rather than, as the Mayor of Didsbury, lobbying to be moved into a new health region she has focused her attention on ensuring that the Didsbury

hospital remains viable, and accessible to patients for the region.

"Calgary, in my mind, is no longer a factor... but to have a viable hospital is," Moore said. "I have to work with the realists." Moore says that she has met with David Thompson Health Region's chairperson, Jean Graham, and has had numerous other meetings to ensure the quality of the Didsbury hospital continues to improve.

Olds-Didsbury-Three Hills MLA, Richard Marz says that he will listen to his constituents and continue to lobby the Minister of Health and Wellness to have

Didsbury placed in the Calgary region.

"Based on a survey that I did I would support Didsbury being moved into Calgary," Marz said.

Marz was also present at the meeting with the Minister held in Didsbury two weeks ago, and says that the Minister has not made any formal decision, adding that Mar was just there to hear and listen to the views of the area residents and politicians. Marz added that a review will be conducted in the fall on the health regions in this area, where a final decision should be made as to which region Didsbury will be placed within.

Estranged wife and boyfriend arrested for murder

Airdrie RCMP arrested two individuals who they have charged with first degree murder for the killing of Nicholas Ross Marayn, 39, of Crossfield.

Nancy Lee Maradyn (McKinnon), aged 33 and her 24-year-old boyfriend, Joseph George Bruso have both been arrested and charged with the murder.

RCMP conducted an extensive investigation, and the RCMP's Calgary Major Crimes Unit arrested the couple, without incident, just off of Country Hills Blvd in northwest Calgary, Saturday afternoon.

Maradyn's estranged wife, Nancy, was a City of Calgary transit worker and Bruso was unemployed.

Maradyn's body was found murdered on June 14, along Highway 2A just outside of the Town of Crossfield.

His body was discovered inside his vehicle, a 1982 Datsun truck, and RCMP say he died of a gunshot wound.

Both of the suspects will appear in Airdrie Provincial court on Thursday, July 3.

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CHINOOK'S EDGE SCHOOL DIVISION WRAPS UP INVESTIGATION

Alleged student poisoners offered reduced charges

by Dan Singleton

Three Chinook's Edge school girls from Sylvan Lake charged with attempted murder in the poisoning of a female classmate three months ago have been offered a plea bargain deal.

The three girls, two aged 14 and one aged 15, were each charged April 22 with one count of attempted murder and five counts of administering a noxious substance.

Seven girls, all students at H.J. Cody school in Sylvan Lake, were taken to the Sylvan Lake Medical Centre on April 17 after consuming a slushie laced with copper sulphate.

The noxious chemical, used in chemistry class labs, was allegedly taken from the school and mixed into a single slushie, police said.

Upon investigation, the RCMP determined that only one of the girls was the intended target and four others inadvertently consumed the drink. Two of the seven girls are among those facing charges.

Replacement charges were sworn during an appearance in Red Deer provincial court on Wednesday, Crown prosecutor Bert Skinner said.

Each girl now also faces charges of conspiracy to administer a noxious substance with intent to endanger life, criminal negligence causing bodily harm, and theft under \$5,000, he said.

Only one of the girls appeared in court on Wednesday; the other two appeared by agent.

All the charges have been laid under the Youth Criminal Justice Act. As such, the girls cannot be named.

The decision to lay the new charges came following a review of the evidence by the Crown and police, said Skinner.

All three girls, who are out on bail, are scheduled to be back in court on July 4 for plea.

Should the accused plead guilty to the new charges on that date, the attempted murder charges could be withdrawn, said Skinner.

"That's what would be anticipated," he said. "Should it come to that, I don't think they will be sentenced on July 4. Another later date would be set for that."

The original charges remain outstanding.

Asked whether the Crown is seeking jail time for the accused girls, prosecutor Skinner said, "all the sentencing options are open, including jail."

Negotiations between defence and the Crown are ongoing, he confirmed.

"We are hopeful that it can be resolved," he said.

Red Deer lawyer Kevin Sproule, who represents one of the girls, was not immediately available for comment. However, he said earlier he hopes ongoing negotiations will lead to a resolution.

"We're hoping that they will be fruitful," Sproule said. "They will continue for as long as it takes or until it's apparent that we can't reach a resolution."

Medicine Hat lawyer Clinton Yarshenko, who represents one of the girls, was not immediately available for comment.

Red Deer lawyer John McBeath, who represents the third girl, declined to comment.

Meanwhile, the Chinook's Edge School Division has completed an independent review

of the poisoning incident, finding no problems with the existing safety policy regarding chemical access in schools, said chairman Roy Brassard.

"We've reviewed what has happened, the procedures we used in the past, and I guess we feel we have done just about everything we can to avoid this kind of thing," said Brassard. "We have reviewed everything that was done, and I guess you can never completely eliminate something happening, but we have done everything we possibly can to make sure that it doesn't happen again and that all of the procedures were in place to avoid it in the first

place."

"To be honest and frank, I guess you can never protect yourself from every eventuality."

A division-wide 39-school safety review is now underway, he said.

"We have initiated a review of not only our labs, but also in the Industrial Arts programs and throughout the schools to make sure we are up to snuff in all of this. We are going to initiate it for all the safety practices we employ."

"We do a review on an ongoing basis, but we just thought that we should make it official and go through all the schools to make absolutely sure that there is nothing that could happen or would happen."



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Didsbury Chamber of Commerce notes

by Penny & Marge

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At the supper held in Eldon Foote Hall, the following members were elected to form the Executive for the upcoming year 2003-04.

Chairperson - Vern Good
Vice Chairperson - Joanne Braun

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Monthly meetings will resume in Sept. after a summer recess.

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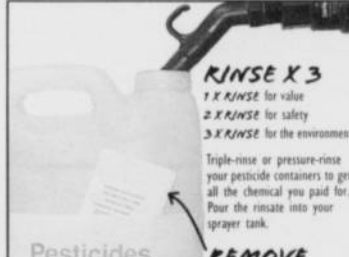
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Neighborhood

Riding association making dreams into reality

by Carla Victor

If it's riding week there is little chance Karen Mengerson will forget, her son Mark makes sure by telling her at least six or eight times a day.

Mark, an 18-year-old from Olds with Down's Syndrome, wears an ear-to-ear smile so big it's hard to get his riding-helmet straps on for the one hour he saddles up with Mount View Special Riding Association (MVSRA).

The MVSRA was formed by dedicated volunteers who recognized the valuable rehabilitation aspects of pairing up mentally and physically challenged persons with gentle, trustworthy horses and volunteers.

Starting out in 1983 with six volunteers and 20 riders, the people involved with MVSRA have more than quadrupled.

What began as four riders per class, once a week for 10 weeks in spring, is now up to six riders per class, six times a week.

Karen remembers when Mark began riding at the age of seven. He was very small for his age, he rode a horse named Sunbeam and stood only as high as the horse's knee.

The first ride for Mark was a huge accomplishment and the result of many years of work.

"Mark was very afraid of animals. When we first introduced him to a lamb at Olds College where his dad worked, he freaked and cried and cried. From then on he wouldn't enter another barn," said Karen.

It took three summers of gently exposing Mark to animals before he got over that fear. To see him ride was achieving a milestone for the whole family.

Karen credits Mark's big sister Sarah, six years his senior, and her love of horses for helping him.

"She really wanted him to participate in MVSRA and having her there with him for the first time was all he needed. He was hooked right away," said Karen.

Mark is one of many riders in MVSRA who have obstacles to overcome and riding helps.

Shelene Williams, assistant instructor with the Canadian Therapeutic Riding Association (CanTRA) said MVSRA enables riders to interact with volunteers and animals they wouldn't otherwise experience.

"For a lot of these people horses are another animal they usually don't get to interact with."

Physical benefits come from the motion the horse provides.

"A horse's walk is the same as a person's. If you take someone with an abnormal gait or walk and put them on a horse with a normal walk it provides a lot of correction," said Shelene.



Sara Johnson, 9-years-old of Didsbury, thanks Fancy with an apple and some carrots.

photo by Carla Victor

Riders put rarely used muscles to work getting on the horse and staying up (some with the use of volunteer side walkers) thus strengthening their muscles.

For someone with cerebral palsy it can cause their muscles to relax, for someone with low muscle tone it strengthens muscles. Riding also causes brain stimulation.

"They are in a different environment using new vocabulary and learning new skills," said Shelene. The program can be modified to fit every rider. If someone needs to work on vocabulary, it's done. If listening skills and applying what they learn needs improvement, that can be done too.

"Riders experience a real sense of accomplishment and gain confidence when riding."

There is a lot of interaction with volunteers and people from the community who riders wouldn't normally be spending time with, and that has long-term social benefits for them.

Gary Piper has been bringing his horses to MVSRA for more than 12 years.

"I'm just there, that's all. It's no big deal," he said, knowing MVSRA brings immeasurable quality of life to its riders.

Gary's involvement in therapeutic riding began with his

"Tyler lives for that, he loves it. You put him on a horse and he has mobility he never had before. On a horse Tyler can go anywhere the chair won't allow him to."

- Gary Piper
MVSRA

wife's disabled brother, who visited their farm to ride. When the brother became involved in MVSRA so did Gary.

"The riders have fun and we (volunteers) do too," said Gary. "Years ago people with severe disabilities were put in the closet - I think it is time for them to get out and have fun."

Gary is a special friend to many of the riders but none more than Tyler, a young man severely disabled by cerebral palsy.

"Tyler loves Gary!" said Shelene.

"Whenever Tyler is in the same room as Gary he begins to vocalize and tries to get his attention. When Gary is with

Tyler his smile lights up."

Although Gary tries to minimize the effect he has on Tyler, one can tell it goes both ways.

"Tyler likes everyone, I treat him no different than anyone else. If he misbehaves I tell him and he knows."

Gary said it's MVSRA that makes a big difference in Tyler's life.

"If you look at Tyler's hands when he gets there, they're cold. Get him out of the chair and put him on a horse they warm right up."

"Tyler lives for that, he loves it. You put him on a horse and he has mobility he never had before. On a horse Tyler can go anywhere the chair won't allow him to."

For a horse to participate in MVSRA it has to be "bomb proof."

Linda Leggette, a volunteer for the past four years, brings three horses to the program.

A horse must sometimes endure uncontrolled leg movements from its rider, loud noises and things being thrown during planned activities.

"We have tested horses by throwing balls at them, making loud noises and bouncing around in the saddle."

"I think all the horses in the program are phenomenal," said Linda.

Gary owns two horses that pass the rigorous testing and is working on two more.

It is hard to find the right horse willing to stand still between loading ramps, used to mount riders.

Patiently horses wait for their riders to be comfortable, steadily they walk, loving the attention bestowed on them from loving riders.

Mark loves the trail ride most. He is so excited during the days leading up to the event, said Karen, thankful the day has finally arrived.

The conclusion of every 10 week riding session is celebrated with a trail ride, barbeque and awards ceremony.

For many it is the biggest social event of the year, with riders and their families, instructors and volunteers attending.

On this day, June 24th, Mark proudly accepted the Earl Stewart award for horsemanship, showing the trophy off to his brother as soon as he got home.

Sara Johnson, a 9-year-old from Didsbury who also brought home a trophy, got her biggest thrill of the night by giving Linda's horse Fancy a card, an apple and some carrots - a small thank you for their special time together.



photo by Shawne Mohl

DARE graduate

Westglen School held their DARE graduation last Tuesday, June 24 where over 30 students received DARE certificates. Above, Cst. Gloria Whips presents a certificate to one of the DARE graduates.

MCC sale raises over \$114,000 for world relief

by Shawne Mohl

Henry Goerzen, and other Mennonite Central Committee members are feeling thankful after their MCC Relief Sale raised \$114,000 for world relief.

The sale was held last Friday, June 20 and Saturday, June 21.

The purpose of the sale is to fundraise money to assist in world relief, no matter if the situation is man-made or caused by a natural disaster like a tornado.

"It (the money) touches all of the parts of the world - wherever there is poverty we are

there to help," Goerzen said.

The majority of the items for the sale were donated by local individuals and businesses.

Goerzen says that the MCC committee felt that funds might have been down this year, with the effects of Mad Cow disease, and the entire economy seems to be hurting, so the committee set a goal of \$100,000 but were only expecting to collect \$75,000.

"We were very excited and thankful to everyone that came out and supported the sale,"

Goerzen said.

Goerzen says that aside from being able to help the poor and the needy of the world, the sale brought the community together.

"Besides raising funds for the poor of the world in the Name of Christ, the sale time is also a great social event, for meeting with the community and in an inter-Mennonite way," Goerzen says. The sale will be held in Didsbury again in three years, which Goerzen is looking forward to.

Olds Legion #105 July notes

by Marge St. Clair

Special Events

Wed. July 9

Seniors Cash Casino Calgary. Bus leaves Legion at 10:00 a.m.

Sat. July 12 & Sun. July 13

Annual Legion Picnic at Westerdale Hall. Sat. - Steak BBQ, dance 8:00 - midnight. Sun. - Free breakfast 9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m., Childrens games, Horseshoe tournament. Free lunch 12:00 noon - 2:00 p.m.

Sat. July 26

Legion Golf Tournament. Olds Golf Course, T off 9:00 a.m. Enter as a team or individual by July 18.

Seniors Luncheons Thurs., July 10 and Thurs., July 24

Every Mon. - Cribbage 7:30 p.m.

Every Wed. - Bingo 7:15 p.m.

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RESPONSIBLE GARDENING

With pleasure and pride

by Deborah Whitmore

As most of you know, I believe in landscape management that is environmentally, economically and humanly responsible, hence the title of my column. I'm sure that you can imagine my pleasure when I read the article "New Weed Control Program" in the June 25, 2003 edition of the Didsbury Review. For the past two-plus years as both a seasonal worker first and then as the Horticulture Technician for the Town of Didsbury I put much time and energy into researching and educating the Town and the townspeople about proper greenspace maintenance which would reduce or eliminate the need for chemical controls being applied to our public grounds. There were many times that I felt like I was talking to deaf ears and that all my efforts were being dismissed as a waste of time. Now I know that this wasn't true, that in fact all my hard work was being noticed and the proof is in the fact that the Town of Didsbury is now applying my advice and suggestions in a greenspace maintenance program that will show great results in the health of our parks and landscapes and is safe for our children and our environment. I would imagine too that they will now start applying the use of the biological

control agents that I spent 2 years raising (and are now worth about \$1500.00) to control Scentless Chamomile around the lagoon and other sensitive ecosystems.

Biological control agents are another great tool that can be used in a responsible gardening regime. Simply put, Biocontrol is the use of living entities to control a pest. I'm sure most of you know that ladybugs are great hunters and consumers of aphids but they are not the only friends we have for controlling both insect and weed pests. This method of pest control has become so effective and so popular that you can now purchase various predatory insects through companies that will ship them and also government departments.

Most of the insects used for control of weeds are not native to our environment but then neither are the weeds that these insects are used to control. Often, if not all the time, noxious and restricted weeds are plants that have been introduced from outside the country. Consequently there are no naturally existing control agents for them. Various government entities around the world work very diligently to find an appropriate control agent that will not consume anything but the target pest and once strict parameters have been established for each of the insect species, then

and only then, these agents become available for purchase.

In regards to non-exotic pests, usually unwanted insects, there are now many companies that sell ladybugs, lacewings, parasitic wasps (don't worry, they don't sting), nematodes and other lovely multi-legged creatures that will look after our gardens even when we aren't there to keep an eye on things. When it comes to ladybugs, I wait until my daughter or one of her

friends comes along with a container full of lady bugs and ask where she/he collected them and then go and collect a bunch of my own. After that it's just a matter of placing the container in my garden, removing the lid and stepping back to let nature take its course. Time and time again I have had complete success controlling aphids this way - and I didn't have to spray a single thing. I always think of this as an example of how wonderfully nature takes

care of herself if we just let her do her work.

As I said, I hope the Town now starts to employ nature's little helpers. My hat is off to the Town for starting to work with rather than against Mother Nature. I'm so glad I was able to help. If you have any tips, original project ideas that you would like to share, or questions you can mail them to Box 1839, Didsbury, AB T0M 0W0 or email them to info@excalibur-landscape.com



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Local artist wins big at Calgary Stampede

If you're thinking of heading to the Calgary Stampede this summer, be sure to check out the award-winning drawing in Hall D of the Round-Up Centre by local artist Stacey Jensen.

The 18-year-old's pencil drawing entitled "Generations Ago" of an old Chief Indian earned her first prize and a \$1000.00 scholarship in the Western Canada Showcase. Only six such scholarships are offered at the annual art competition - three for southern Alberta and three for the city of Calgary. Jensen chose the subject matter for her drawing not only because of how well it fit with the western theme requirements for the competition but also

because she enjoys working with her chosen medium. "Working with pencil and scratchboard are two of my favorites...I think you can get more detail with pencil and scratchboard is very fine, picky work as well."

Jensen's artistic talents have been cultivated for the past six or seven years by her teacher and mentor, Joyce Mullen. "She was only 11 or 12-years-old when she started with me," says Mullen. "I had a look at some of the drawings she was working on before the competition and told her that one of these was going to be a prize winner - I just knew it."

While the news of Jensen's latest scholarship

win came as a pleasant surprise to the grade 12 graduate, this isn't the first time she's won big at Stampede art competitions. "I have entered in the Stampede for four years now and have won two other firsts." Both of these, Jensen explains, were also pencil drawings - one of an Alberta rose and one of a cowboy.

Jensen will receive her award at a reception and presentation at the Round-Up Centre July 3rd. The scholarship, she says, will likely go towards her studies in Engineering at the University of Alberta in the fall. "I would just like to say a huge thank you to Mrs. Mullen for all the help she's given me over the years."



Stacey Jensen stands beside a mural she painted on the entrance wall of the Didsbury High School. The project took her approximately 3 months to complete.

Town keeps new Director of Operations hopping



Chris McKenna, Director of Operations for the Town of Didsbury

They say if you want something done, ask a busy person. So goes the mantra for Chris McKenna, the Town of Didsbury's new Director of Operations.

Since taking over the position in March, McKenna's been literally swamped with projects related to the maintenance and upkeep of virtually every town owned facility including the likes of the town offices, memorial complex, and all parks and

"We have the concert bowl ready but there's still four ball diamonds to go in yet..."

-Chris McKenna
Director of Operations
The Town of Didsbury

playgrounds.

"I have 14 staff that work under me in the summer and about 10 or 11 in the winter as well, so it can get pretty crazy around here most days."

Right now the project occupying most of McKenna's time is the work being done for the new Memorial Park.

"We have the concert bowl ready but there's still four ball diamonds to go in yet and we're still working on a

number of other things related to the project."

Despite some hectic days ahead, the pace of his new job is nothing new for McKenna who has held similar positions in both Airdrie and Stettler along with one posting as Operations Manager for the Edmonton Coliseum. McKenna and his wife, Christine, now reside in Didsbury. They have two daughters - Laura 23 and Jenny 21.

Lutheran Church to be transformed into Rancho Roundup

There's something different about Redeemer Lutheran Church these days. Brightly coloured posters are being hung from the doors, festive Mexican music can be heard echoing from inside and a certain, unmistakable southwestern feel is beginning to emerge. Though the new look may seem unusual to some, organizers of this year's Vacation Bible School are already well into the festive mood and eager to swing open the gate to "Rancho Roundup" July 14th - 18th from 9:30 am - 12:00 noon.

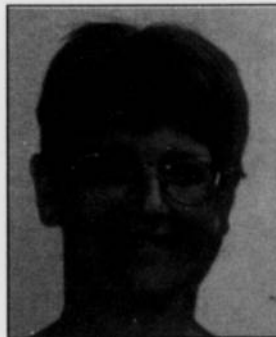
All children between the ages of five and 12-years-old are encouraged to come out and learn more about how Jesus, the Good Shepherd, leads his sheep "baaaack" home. Throughout the course of the week, children will be introduced to what Jesus meant when He said, "I am the good Shepherd" at the make believe location of a southwestern sheep farm.

"Today's children may not as easily understand the idea of how Jesus the Good Shepherd cares for them and loves them," says Organizer,

Joyce Magnus. "But we really believe Rancho Roundup will help bridge that gap, especially with the many, many activities we have to go along with our theme this year."

In addition to the songs, games, crafts, fellowship, skits and Bible readings children will be exposed to, each registrant will once again be able to earn "fun" tokens which they can use later to purchase gently used items from the VBS store. "We'll have it stocked with dozens of fun things for kids

to buy...stuffed animals, Barbies, puzzles, candies, balls and toy cars," explains Magnus. Tokens are awarded for such things as attendance, Bible memory verses, take-home projects and whether or not they bring a friend. Anyone interested in registering their child for Rancho Roundup Vacation Bible School at Redeemer Lutheran Church can call 335-3161. Registrations will also be accepted on July 14th at the Church. "It's an excellent opportunity for children to have fun, hear the gospel and meet some friends."



Joyce Magnus, organizer



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QUESTION: My teen daughter, Cynthia, and I have incredible fights sometimes. No one has ever gotten to me in quite the way she can. We actually yell at each other when these battles are going on. How unusual is that kind of conflict between mothers and daughters? And is there hope for us?

DR. DOBSON: Unfortunately, it is very common. Many psychologists have described a "thing" that occurs between some mothers and their teenage daughters. Even though they love each other, the friction between them can generate a lot of heat.

It probably results from a phenomenon that has been called "two women in the kitchen" -- a kind of natural competitiveness that occurs between females in the family.

It can also be caused by a mother's inability to cope with an extremely difficult and antagonistic kid.

Whatever the source, it can make life unpleasant for several years.

I know women who would give their lives for their daughters, yet they say with fire in their eyes, "I don't even like her very much right now." That appears to be what you and your teenager are experiencing at this time.

Is there hope for a better relationship in years to come? Yes, I believe you will overcome it. Getting Cynthia through adolescence and into adulthood will change everything. I wouldn't be surprised if she didn't become one of your best friends down the road. So, take heart. A better day is coming.

QUESTION: But what can we do in the meantime? How can I deal with this wildcat who lives under my roof?

DR. DOBSON: Before I answer, tell me what your husband's relationship with Cynthia is?

QUESTION: It's very good. She doesn't pull the same stuff on him that she does with me. What are you getting at?

DR. DOBSON: He may hold the key to the tension in your home. Fathers can play a valuable role as peace-makers and mediators at a time like this.

They can help you ventilate anger and find acceptable compromises where they are appropriate.

Cynthia may listen to her dad. When teenagers are greatly irritated with one parent, they will sometimes draw closer to the other.

It's like a nation at war that seeks supportive allies. If fathers are favored in that way, they can calm the troubled waters and keep two women from killing each other. Without this masculine influence, routine skirmishes can turn into World War III.

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QUESTION: How early in life is a child capable of making a strong-willed stand in defiance against his or her parents?

DR. DOBSON: Depending on the temperament of the individual, defiant behavior can be displayed by very young children.

A father once told me of taking his 3-year-old daughter to a basketball game. The child was, of course, interested in everything in the gym except the athletic contest.

The father permitted her to roam freely and climb on the bleachers, but he set up definite limits regarding how far she could stray.

He took her by the hand and walked with her to a stripe painted on the gym floor.

"You can play all around the building, Janie, but don't go past this line," he instructed her.

Dad had no sooner returned to his seat than the toddler scurried in the direction of the forbidden territory. She stopped at the border for a moment, then flashed a grin over her shoulder to her father and deliberately placed one foot over the line as if to say, "Whacha gonna do about it?" Virtually every parent the world over has been asked the same question at one time or another.

That's the way some kids are made.

AROUND THE
CIRCLE
Cribbage
every
Friday

by Marge St Clair

Please remember to phone Bea 335-3058 or Gen 335-3449 to reserve your seat on the Seniors Bus Trip to the Stampede on July 8th. This is Seniors Day at the Calgary Stampede; the bus will leave the 5-0 Centre at 10:00 a.m. and return after the chuckwagon races have been run.

Wed. July 2

Please register your child (children) today at the Didsbury Library for the Summer Reading Program "Read Up a Storm". From kindergarten age to Grade VI, your child will also receive a month free library card. Volunteers will also be welcomed, anyone going into Grade 7 or older.

Fri. July 4

Cribbage play starts at 7:00 p.m. at Eldon Foote Hall (Train Station). Prizes, coffee & goodies in a smoke free environment and the hall is wheelchair accessible.

Sat. July 5

The men's open golf tournament is being held at the Didsbury Golf Course with play starting at 9:00 a.m. Phone the Clubhouse 335-3635 to register and more details or register while you are there.

Mon. July 7 - Thurs.

July 10

Vacation Bible School will be held at the Berghal Church from 9:30 a.m. - 12 noon. Diane Jonson at 337-2992 or Betty at 337-2134 will gladly register your children and give you more details.

Wed. July 9th

The Farmers Market is open from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at the Didsbury Curling Rink. Lots of fresh vegetables and fruit.

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100 years: The Vipond family of Mountain View County were presented a Farm Century Award from Reeve Ian Harvie (far right).



The Laut family is presented with the Century Farm Award by Mountain View County Councillor Ben Penner (far right).

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CWL Meetings: 2nd Thursday of the month 1:00 p.m.

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This Sunday

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DHS Graduates of 2003 awarded



Some of the students which received awards last week were (pictures L-R): Jonathan Clark receiving one of his awards from Chinook's Edge School Division's Deputy Superintendent, Dot Negroptes; (Middle photo): Elizabeth Blakely, also receiving an award from Negroptes; (Far right photo): Nathan Dahl received one of his awards from DHS teacher, Jeanne Hunter.

photos by Shawne Mohl

Didsbury High School held their cap and gown ceremonies last Thursday, June 26 as well as handed out a number of awards to their grade 12 students.

The following students were awarded:

Subject awards

English 30 - Nathan Dahl

English 33 - Naomi Markowski

Math 30 Pure - Johnathan Clark

Math 30 Applied - Luke Spreeman

Chem 30 - Jonathan Clark

Biology 30 - Nathan Dahl

Physics 30 - Nathan Dahl

Science 34 - Naomi Markowski & Rodney Scott

Social Studies 30 - Nathan Dahl

Social Studies 33 - Curtis Mitchell

French 30 - Rachel Forestell

Anthropology 30 - Logan Luft

World Geography 30 - Kristen Wickson

The following students earned an 80 per cent or higher average to have their name appear on the honor roll:

Elodie Albert, Elizabeth Blakely, Jonathan Clark, Nathan Dahl, Stephanie Dowland, Rachel Forestell, Kimberly Gole, Elisha Jackson, Stacey Jensen, Sarah Longwill, Logan Luft, Naomie Markowski, Curtis Mitchell, Dennis Patterson, Jeffrey Rion, Katrina Saina, Tiffany Schumaker, Christine Ta, Christina van Besouw.

Special awards:

Top female athlete: Elizabeth Blakely

Top male athlete: Adam Dingman and Logan Luft

All round student: Elizabeth Blakely

Spirit of Youth: Rachel Forestell

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Sports

Edwards to play in "The Brick Super Tournament"



Jason Edwards

After working very hard in his young hockey career, 10-year-old Jason Edwards of Didsbury has earned the right to represent Southern Alberta at "The Brick Super Tournament" which will be held later this month in Edmonton at West Edmonton Mall.

In order to play on this team, all players must have been born in 1993.

This will be the fourteenth year that the Annual AAA Brick Tournament will happen, after it was started by Bill Comrie who owns the Brick. Comrie's son,

Mike, currently plays for the Edmonton Oilers, but was also a part of this program.

In order to be drafted onto this team the program director and coaches watched players throughout Southern Alberta (Red Deer south) during the winter and invited players, one being Edwards, to attend tryouts.

Of those players that tried out Edwards was selected to join the team, and without hesitation he joined.

Edwards is the only player from a

neighbouring community, and the only player from a community as small as Didsbury.

The team has been out on the ice each and every weekend since April, and already their hard work has paid off when they brought home a silver medal from a tournament in Saskatoon on the May long weekend.

Edward's first game is today, July 2.

Edwards has always picked hockey over other sports, adding that it has been a great experience for him.

Didsbury minor soccer teams for 2003



One of Didsbury's U-12 teams



Another one of Didsbury's U-12 teams

Check back next week for more Didsbury Minor Soccer photos

Didsbury Ladies Invitational

by Laurel & Marge

The thunder, lighting and rain (what else have we had this last week) deterred some ladies from attending the Ladies Invitational on Wed., June 19 at 5:00 p.m., but 53 ladies teed off and had a great evening.

Hole prizes were won by:

Hole #2 - Long drive (wrong handed) - Kathleen Hunter

Hole #3 - Long drive with the putter - (1) Kathleen Hunter, (2) Ursula Krebs

Hole #4 - Long drive - 1. Karen Chernow, 2. Leona Doiron

Hole #5 - Long putt - Edna van Dam

Hole #8 - K.P. - Karen Chernow, Sand - Barb Aarts

Hole #9 - Long drive - Karen Krebs

The draw for balls in the water on #6 was won by Colleen Chambers and on #9 by Kim Krebs-Seitz.

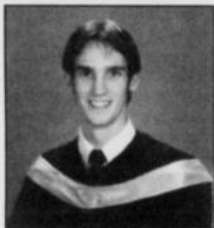
Low scores were recorded by Carolyn Tainsh, Muriel Hoeft, Patsy Mullenix and Donna Fife. Joyce Armour had a wonderful birthday present - she won the 50/50 draw! It turned out to be a beautiful evening, weather-wise!

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Jason & Erin

OBITUARIES

JACOBSEN - Violet Jacobsen of Didsbury passed away June 20, 2003 at the age of 90 years. Violet was born October 9, 1912 in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan. She married Linden on March 12, 1937. They resided and farmed in the Westcott area, where she raised and enjoyed her ponies. She will be lovingly remembered by her son, Duane; grandchildren, Don and Yeyonne (Ken); great-grandchildren, Ashley and Desiree; as well as many numerous family, neighbours, and friends. She was predeceased by her husband, Linden, on October 12, 1995. A Funeral Service was held on Monday, June 23, 2003 at 11:00 a.m. with Pastor Mohs presiding. If friends so desire memorial tributes may be made in Violet's memory to the Canadian Cancer Society (200, 215 - 12 Avenue, SE, Calgary, AB, T2G 9Z9) or the Redeemer Lutheran Church (Didsbury, AB, T0M 0W0). Funeral arrangements were entrusted to Mountain View Funeral Chapel, Didsbury.

STUBBINGS - Percy George Stubbings passed away on June 20, 2003 at the Didsbury Hospital at the age of 77 years. Percy was predeceased by his parents Charles and Mary Stubbings, and sister Dorothy Gaetz. He is survived by two brothers, Charlie (Mac) Stubbings of Surrey, BC and Arthur (Lucille) Stubbings of Regina, SK; brother-in-law Tony (Joan) Gaetz of Sinaluta, SK; and several nieces and nephews. Percy worked as a farm hand at Salmon Arm, BC and many years around Olds and Didsbury. A memorial Service was held at Mountain View Funeral Chapel, Didsbury on June 24, 2003 at 10:30 a.m. with Reverend Nancy Nourse officiating. Interment followed in the Didsbury Cemetery. Friends are invited to make a donation in Percy's memory to Heart and Stroke Foundation (101, 5208 - 53 Avenue, Red Deer, AB, T4N 5K2). Arrangements were entrusted to Mountain View Funeral Chapel.

John Hugh (Paddy) Taylor passed away June 12, 2003 at the Brookhaven Nursing Home, Westbank, BC at the age of 76 years. He leaves to mourn his wife, Lorna, son, Craig (Maxine), daughter Laurie, and grandchildren, Shereen Trenchard (Ed), and Andrew. Paddy leaves many friends in the Alberta communities where he previously worked as a Royal Bank Manager.

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10 COMING EVENTS

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13 EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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20 GARAGE SALE

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24 LIVESTOCK

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33 PERSONALS

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34 PETS

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35 REAL ESTATE

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The Town of Didsbury is now taking
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tration form at the Town Office, The
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Camp Office in the foyer of the Curling
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<http://www.town.didsbury.ab.ca/summerfun.html> for more info.

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Paul: Shipwreck and Dreams at
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10, 9:30-12:00 a.m. Don't miss out on
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tration contact Diane at 337-2992 or
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Bus Trip

Please join us on a Bus Trip. We are
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July 8/03. Bus leaves 5-0 Club at
10am. Returns after Chuck Wagon
races. Cost \$10. Please call Bea
335-3058 or Gen 335-3449

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Vacation Bible School

Carstairs Bancroft United Church is
presenting "The Story of David" for its
Vacation Bible School this year. It will
run August 5 - 8, 2003 from 1-4 p.m.
Come join us for the week. Everyone
is welcome! To register, call Ruth
Roedler at 337-2483.

CREMONA

Group

The Cremona Parent & Tots Group is
going strong and we would like you to
join us! We meet every Wednesday at
10:00 a.m. in the Cremona Congrega-
tional Church Basement. For more
info contact Doreen at 637-0182.

ONGOING EVENTS

CARSTAIRS

RECYCLING DEPOT

Carstairs Lion's Recycling Depot is open
every Saturday from 9 a.m. - 12:20 p.m.

CARSTAIRS TOPS

Take off Pounds Sensibly at the Church
of God on Monday nights 7-8 p.m. For
further information call Jean 637-3753,
Shelly 337-3082 or Kim 946-4997.

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COMMUNITY CRISIS SOCI- ETY

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New Winter hours: Saturday, 1-5 p.m.,
special occasions, & anytime by appoint-
ment. Please call Marg Weaver at 335-
4245, Dale Weiss at 335-4726 or Willard
Stauffer at 335-3715.

SPECIAL FAMILIES RESOURCE ASSOCIATION

Support for families/caregivers of special
needs children. No meetings in July
otherwise meetings held 1st and 3rd
Thurs. of every month in the Didsbury
Hospital in the Educational Conference
Room at 7 p.m. For more information
contact Cindy at 335-4123.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
General Meeting: Fourth Thursday of
each month, 6:00 p.m. supper, 7 p.m.
meeting 335-3265. RSVP

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Take Off Pounds Sensibly! Come and join
us every Wednesday evening. For more
info call Stacey at 335-4487 or Rosemary
335-2835.

ENVIRONMENTAL BOARD
Didsbury Environmental Advisory Board
meets once every month at the Town Office.
For info call Deborah at 335-8304.

HALL WALKING

Adult hall walking at Westglen from 6:45
a.m. Monday to Thursday. Keep fit this
winter.

BEAVER'S

Beaver's Monday 7-8 p.m. at Eldon Foote
Hall. Kids 5 to 7 years old, boys and girls
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DIDSBURY

TOY LIBRARY

Child & Youth Clubs of Didsbury Toy
Library: Open Tuesdays 10-11:30 a.m.
at the Anglican Church Hall basement
2037 - 24 Ave. New members always
welcome. Kerri at 335-9928.

AA

Alcoholics Anonymous meetings. Fridays
8:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall, Didsbury,
20 Ave. and 21 St. For information call
Wendy at 335-3877 or Rick at 335-9525.

TIME OUT

Child & Youth Clubs of Didsbury's Mom's
Time Out and Dads Too program. At Angli-
can Church Hall, Mondays 10-11:30 a.m.
Nominal babysitting fee. Call 335-8183 or
335-9903 for more information.

KING HIRAM LODGE

King Hiram Lodge #21 has its regular
meetings at 8 p.m. every 2nd Tuesday
of the month.

O.E.S. MEETING

St. Hilda Chapter #27 O.E.S. has its
regular meetings at 7:30 p.m. every 3rd
Tuesday of the month. For info. call Kay
Johnston at 335-4060.

GAMBLERS ANONYMOUS

Gamblers Anonymous (G.A.) starting Mon-
day, January 22 from 7 - 9 p.m. in the
Assembly Room at the Hospital Unit 4. For
more information please call 335-8208.

SONS OF NORWAY

Sons of Norway meets the 4th Monday
of every month at 8 p.m. at Evergreen
Centre in Olds. All welcome. Call 556-
2401 or 337-2037 for more information.

CASH BINGO

Didsbury Elks Cash Bingo every Tues-
day. Doors open 6:00 p.m., Nickel Bingo
at 6:45. Regular Bingo at 7:30 p.m.
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DIDSBURY PRESCHOOL

We are now accepting registrations into
a educational and social program for
children 3 to 5 years old. The new 2 1/
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INFORMATION

Mountain View La Leche League, a
group which offers information and sup-
port for breastfeeding mothers. We also
meet the 3rd Tuesday evenings of each
month 10 a.m. Olds Scout Hall. Phone
337-3617 or 556-3807 for information.

BRIDGE CLUB

Mountain View Bridge Club meets every
Wednesday from 7-10 p.m. at the
Masonic Star Hall, 2037-21 Avenue,
Didsbury. All bridge players welcome!
For more info: 335-8375 or 638-2757.

HOME HELP ASSOCIATION
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Services co-ordinates assistance for sen-
iors. Call 335-4391.

LEARNING DISABILITIES

Learning Disabilities of Alberta, Mtn. View
Chapter. Support and info for parents
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abilities. For info call Susan at 335-3174.

W.H.O.A.S

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natural environment. Meetings are their
Tues. of every month at Olds Cow Palace,
8 p.m. Call Doreen at 556-6167 for more
information.

OLDS

MEETING

Adoption Support Group of Olds and area
meet the 3rd Tuesday of every month. For
more information contact Susan at 335-
8540.

SUNDRE

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
Wednesdays, 8 - 9 p.m. in the basement
of the Anglican Church. Ron 638-2736.

ALA TEEN

Ala Teen, Sundre United Church Base-
ment, Wednesday 7:00 p.m. More info
638-3277.

AL-ANON

Al-Anon, Wednesdays. For more infor-
mation call 638-3277 or 335-9787.

DRUMHELLER

SUPPORT GROUP

The Compassionate Friends is a self help
supportive group offering friendship and
understanding to parents who have expe-
rienced the death of a child. Meetings are
held the last Thurs. of each month (except
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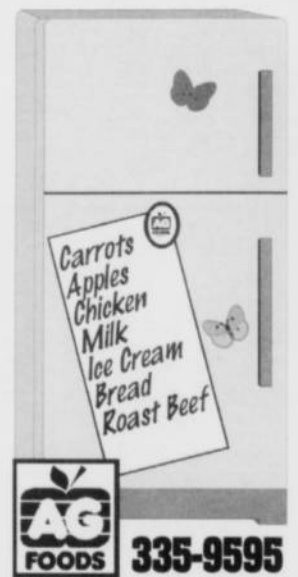


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NEIGHBORHOOD

South West Didsbury

by Bessie Eckstrand

Sympathy of the Westcott area as Vi Jacobsen passed away on Fri. June 20th at the age 91. Her funeral was at the Didsbury Funeral Home at 11 a.m. on Monday June 23rd with burial at Westcott Cemetery.

Her husband Linden passed away in June of 1995. He married Vi on March

12, 1937. He and Vi farmed by Westcott all their married life & raised one son, Duane to mourn her loss also 2 grandchildren & 2 great grandchildren of Vernon, B.C.

Knox U.C.W. held their annual picnic at the church on Tues., June 24th at noon with about 40 ladies present. U.C.W. ladies & Thrift Shop volunteers. All ladies sent their best regards to Pres.

Evelyn Clarke who is very ill in the Didsbury Hospital & best wishes to Vice Pres. Margaret Gilchrist who she & husband are holidaying in Australia.

A short meeting followed the dinner, finishing up unfinished projects, & a good bye was said to all & will see each other in the fall.

The Birthday Club held a weiner roast at Bev & Gerald's home on Wed. evening. Had a good crowd & everyone enjoyed visiting & eating & all said good bye to Bunny Burrel of Eckstrand Road

who sold her acreage & moved to Didsbury.

Congratulations to Katie Neufeld who is vying for the honor of being crowned Miss Rodeo Carstairs 2003. The crowning ceremony is on July 18, 2003 at 6:30 p.m. She helps raise and train horses on her family's farm West of Didsbury and enjoys rodeos and gymkhana in between school, 4-H and sports. She would appreciate your support now and throughout the next year.

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